

**Table 1-2. Asbestosis: Mortality rates (per million population) by race and sex,
U.S. residents age 15 and over, 1990-1999**

Year	Overall	White		Black		Other	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
Crude Mortality Rate							
1990	4.85	10.23	0.51	7.40	0.17	1.44	0.27
1991	4.80	10.42	0.42	5.86	0.16	1.66	—
1992	4.82	10.63	0.37	5.00	0.32	1.06	—
1993	4.97	11.03	0.32	5.19	0.16	1.82	—
1994	5.22	11.62	0.35	5.38	0.23	1.26	—
1995	5.70	12.74	0.35	6.19	—	1.23	—
1996	5.67	12.26	0.57	7.22	0.15	0.93	—
1997	5.58	12.49	0.44	4.93	0.22	1.13	—
1998	5.75	12.94	0.45	5.09	0.15	1.09	0.28
1999	5.90	13.28	0.42	5.26	0.07	2.33	—
1990-1999	5.32	11.76	0.42	5.70	0.16	1.40	0.04
Age-Adjusted Mortality Rate							
1990	5.04	12.34	0.43	12.59	0.18	3.43	0.40
1991	4.94	12.31	0.35	10.25	0.19	3.23	—
1992	4.93	12.54	0.30	8.51	0.38	1.94	—
1993	5.08	13.05	0.27	9.37	0.22	3.53	—
1994	5.30	13.57	0.29	8.96	0.31	2.58	—
1995	5.79	14.78	0.28	11.74	—	2.66	—
1996	5.73	14.21	0.46	12.30	0.18	1.89	—
1997	5.66	14.69	0.35	8.59	0.29	2.35	—
1998	5.78	14.89	0.36	9.08	0.19	1.87	0.36
1999	5.93	15.17	0.34	9.97	0.09	3.83	—
1990-1999	5.41	13.76	0.34	10.10	0.20	2.78	0.08

— indicates no deaths listed.

NOTE: See appendices for source description, methods, and ICD codes.

SOURCE: National Center for Health Statistics multiple cause of death data. Population estimates from U.S. Bureau of the Census.